## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA ROANOKE DIVISION

TROY PETERSON,	) CASE NO. 7:16CV00146
Plaintiff,	) )
v.	) FINAL ORDER
EARL R. BARKSDALE, <u>ET AL.</u> ,	<ul><li>) By: Robert S. Ballou</li><li>) United States Magistrate Judge</li></ul>
Defendant(s).	

In accordance with the accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby **ADJUDGED AND ORDERED** as follows:

- 1. Peterson's motion for leave to file an amended complaint, motion for default judgment, and motion for summary judgment (ECF Nos. 16, 23, and 33) are **DENIED**;
- Defendants' motion for protective order and motion for summary judgment (ECF Nos. 17 and 28) are GRANTED; Peterson's claims for monetary damages concerning his religious diet are DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE as without merit; and his other claims are DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE under 42 U.S.C. § 1997e(a) for failure to exhaust administrative remedies before filing this action; and
- 3. The clerk shall **STRIKE** this action from the active docket of the court.

Enter: March 31, 2017

Is/ Robert S. Ballon

Robert S. Ballou United States Magistrate Judge